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Giant Pandas

Introduction

The eyespots of a Giant Panda are initially in a shape like a circle. Pandas are on the brink of extinction. The Red Pandas and the Giant Pandas share the same habitat and diet.

Habitat

Giant Pandas live in broadleaf and bamboo forests. They prefer the shade where it is cool. They like trees to live in. Pandas live in forest areas and are native to China.

Diet

Pandas eat ninety-nine percent bamboo. They also eat bamboo, sugar cane, rice, gruel, biscuits, carrots, apples and sweet potatoes. Bamboo contains very little nutritional value so pandas must eat 12-38 kilograms every day. Pandas eat eighty-four pounds each day. Pandas diet is primarily herbivorous.

Appearance

Pandas have a black and white coat. Adults measure around 1.5m long and 75cm tall. Each panda weighs about 253 pounds. Giant pandas are one species that are as dangerous as a bear.

Conclusion

Giant pandas are special and unique. It is important that they do not become extinct so we must help to protect them.